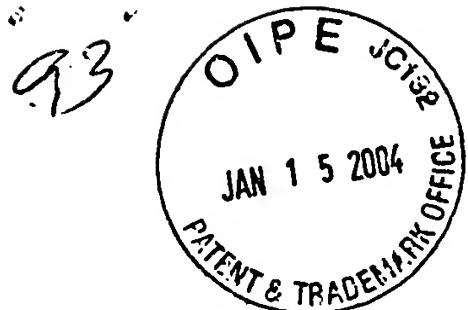


01-20-04

GP/1724

8



PATENT

Attorney Docket No. 5889.12 (1339/US/1)
Express Mail Label No. EV 410 058 828 US

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Brian T. BOYD et al.

Appln. No. 10/022,137

Filed: December 12, 2001

For: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR
GENERATING AND APPLYING
OZONATED WATER

Confirmation No.: 2789

Group Art Unit: 1724

Examiner: Betsey Hoey

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
Under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97(b)(4), and 1.98

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97, the Examiner may wish to consider the reference listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449 during examination of the above-identified patent application. This reference is submitted for the Examiner's consideration and is submitted pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56. In submitting this reference, no representation is made or implied that the reference is or is not material to the examination of the application. The Examiner is encouraged to make his or her own determination of materiality. A copy of the reference is provided herewith.

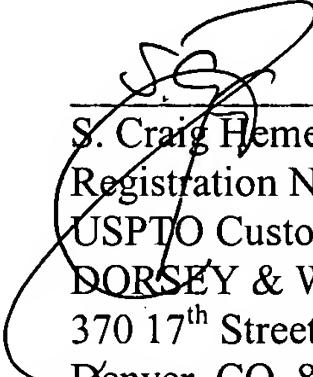
Serial No.: 10/022,137
Attorney Docket No. 5889.12 (1339/US/1)
Page 2

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed in the period specified in 37 CFR 1.97(b)(4), before the mailing date of a first Office action after filing the related request for continued examination. Therefore, no fees are due with respect to this filing. However, if any fees are deemed necessary, such fees may be charged to Deposit Account No. 04-1415.

If the examiner has any questions concerning the relevance of the cited reference in this disclosure, please contact the undersigned attorney.

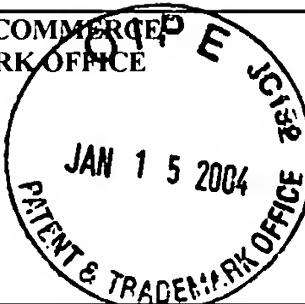
Dated: January 15, 2004

Respectfully submitted,


S. Craig Hemenway
Registration No. 44,759
USPTO Customer No. 20686
DORSEY & WHITNEY LLP
370 17th Street, Suite 4700
Denver, CO 80202-5647

SCH:mj

| | | | |
|---|--|--|---------------------------------|
| FORM PTO-1449 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE (Modified) PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE | | ATTY. DOCKET NO. 5889.12 (1339/US/1) | SERIAL NO. 10/022,137 |
| INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (Use several sheets if necessary) | | APPLICANT: Brian T. BOYD et al. | |
| | | FILING DATE December 12, 2001 | GROUP 1724 |



U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

| EXAMINER INITIAL | | PATENT NUMBER | ISSUE DATE | PATENTEE | CLASS | SUBCLASS | FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE |
|---------------------|--|------------------|---------------|----------|-------|----------|-------------------------------|
| | | | | | | | |

| EXAMINER INITIAL | | PUBLICATION NUMBER | PUBLICATION DATE | PATENTEE | CLASS | SUBCLASS | FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE |
|---------------------|----|-----------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------------|-------|----------|-------------------------------|
| | 1. | 20030080467 | 05/01/2003 | Andrews et al. (App. 10/262,558) | | | 09/30/2002 |

FOREIGN PATENT OR PUBLISHED FOREIGN PATENT APPLICATIONS

| | | DOCUMENT NUMBER | PUBLISHED DATE | COUNTRY | CLASS | SUBCLASS | TRANSLATION |
|--|--|--------------------|-------------------|---------|-------|----------|-------------|
| | | | | | | | YES |

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

| | | |
|--|--|--|
| | | |
| | | |

| | |
|----------|-----------------|
| EXAMINER | DATE CONSIDERED |
|----------|-----------------|

EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.